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# Richmond Times-Dispatch

RICHMOND, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1914.

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THE TIMES-DISPATCH

SHOP EARLY! Early in the Day; Early in the Month!

## Miller & Rhoads

### TO-DAY

Will Be a Good Time to Visit the  
Miller & Rhoads

## XMAS FAIR

"For the Children's Sake"—COME! It's a popular excuse nowadays with many of us grown-ups who go to the dog and pony shows and circus—"the children wanted to go, you know"—and deep down in our hearts we felt the enjoyment of it all fully as much as did the little ones.

But to attend the XMAS FAIR no such excuse will be necessary. For when it comes to sharing in the delights of the kiddies at Xmas time, where is there one of us who will not plead "guilty"?

ALL THE CHILDREN'S GAMES AND DOLLS this year are to be seen at the Xmas Fair, more and better ones than ever! And there are BLOCKS, XMAS BOOKS, BOOKLETS AND CARDS, and so much else that is useful, instructive and entertaining!

NOVELTIES IN RIBBON AND LEATHER; ALSO FANCY BASKETS AND ART NEEDLEWORK that make nice gifts for the grown-ups!

Let your coming be as early as possible—while everything is so fresh-looking and NEW! ENTER FROM SIXTH STREET—next door to our Sixth Street entrance.

### Practical and Useful Gifts From Our Shoe Department

WOMEN'S FELT JULIETS—fur and ribbon trimmed, in colors brown, blue, red, wine, smoke and black—priced from 98c to \$2.00 pair.

WOMEN'S RIBBON TRIMMED COMFY SLIPPERS—blue, red, purple,

lavender, old rose, maroon and vermilion—at \$1.50 pair.

MISSSES' AND CHILDREN'S FELT COMFY SLIPPERS—in colors blue and red—at \$1.00 and \$1.25 pair.

FULL LINE OF MEN'S, BOYS' AND YOUTHS' SLIPPERS—in tan and black—at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 pair. All styles—Operas, Everetts and Romeos.

WOMEN'S, MISSSES' AND CHILDREN'S LAMBS' WOOL SOLES; also Satin Quilted Soles—in pink, blue and white—at 25c pair. Second Floor.

## SEVENTY-FIVE CASES REPORTED TO COURTS

Agent Taylor So Informs Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

ANNUAL MEETING IS HELD  
John S. Munce Is Re-Elected President and Other Officers Are Re-Elected—An Additional Agent to Be Appointed by Directors.

The annual meeting of the Richmond Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was held at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Jefferson Hotel, when reports of various officers of the organization were submitted and officers to serve during the ensuing year were elected. The reports showed that the society is now on a firm financial basis, and that much good work has been accomplished during the past year. The following officers of the society were unanimously re-elected to serve during the ensuing year: president, John S. Munce; first vice-president, Miss Ellen Glasgow; second vice-president, Rev. B. C. Calhoun; third vice-president, Mrs. W. Ben Palmer; fourth vice-president, Dr. J. B. Wood; fifth vice-president, Mrs. C. E. Bolling; sixth vice-president, Miss Cally T. Ryland; general counsel, Captain A. G. Guilgon; treasurer, Virginia Trust Company; secretary, Myrland Taylor; agent, E. C. Taylor. The total membership of the Richmond society is now 409, an increase over last year of fifty-six members.

WILL APPOINT ASSISTANT FOR AGENT TAYLOR  
In his annual report the president recommended the appointment of an additional agent to aid Agent Taylor in his work, owing to the great increase in the work of the organization. A vote of thanks to the officers of the city and to the Police Department for their assistance in the work of the society was taken.

It was reported that during the past year 4,254 cases of cruelties had been called to the attention of the society by the agent, and that out of that number, seventy-five had been carried to the courts. Of the seventy-five cases, convictions were secured in fifty-seven instances, and sixteen were dismissed. Eighteen persons were sent to jail for cruelly treating animals, and thirty others were forced to pay fines. It was reported that a member of the society had donated eight dog medals during the year to persons owning dogs who were unable to pay a city license.

The total receipts of the society during the year were \$2,735.65, this amount added to the sum brought over from the previous year making a total of \$4,121.68. Expenditures for the year were \$2,958.87, leaving on hand a total of \$1,162.81.

The Richmond society, organized twenty-one years ago, is the oldest and strongest of the societies in Virginia. Other societies have been organized in many sections of the State, and the work and membership in the various organizations is constantly increasing. In the meeting, Agent E. C. Taylor was highly praised for his work during the past year, for it was pointed out that he had been instrumental in bringing to justice many persons who have violated the law prohibiting the cruel treatment of animals. The matter of appointing an additional agent to aid Mr. Taylor in his work was placed in the hands of the board of directors of the society, who will report their selection when they meet within the next ten days.

The meeting was largely attended, and several brief speeches were made by different members of the organization regarding the various phases of the work of the society.

Sent to Grand Jury.  
Louis Galloway, colored, charged with cutting Albert Coleman, colored, with a knife, was yesterday sent on to the grand jury by Justice Crutchfield. The case will be heard in the Hustings Court on December 7. Detective Thurman arrested the man.

## SKETCHES FROM LIFE --By Temple



"Private Tables"

### TEMPERANCE UNION

Bicounty Quarterly Convention Is Held in Trinity Methodist Church.

The bicounty quarterly convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held yesterday in Trinity Methodist Church. Mrs. V. M. Bickler, president of the organization, presided. Among the prominent temperance workers present at the meeting were: Mrs. Lillian A. Sheppard, of Norfolk; Mrs. E. B. Clement, of Centralia; and Mrs. Mary S. Danner, of Chesterfield Church. Rev. Stark Jett, pastor of the church, made an address.

The president's quarterly address expressed pleasure at the recent prohibition election, and urged that the public be educated to enforce the law. The president urged that members of the union use their influence to prevent the exhibition of immoral theatrical performances in Richmond.

The address of Mrs. Sheppard contained the report that this has been in many respects a record year with the national, State and bicounty unions. She also gave an interesting report of the recent national convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union held at Atlanta. A letter of cordial greeting was received from Mrs. Howard M. Hoge, State president.

### EFFECT NEW ORGANIZATION

Office Appliance Houses Will Bring Exhibit of Modern Methods Here.

A permanent organization was effected last night in a meeting at the offices of the American Multigraph Sales Company for the purpose of bringing before the business houses of Richmond and vicinity an educational exhibit of the most modern equipment designed to promote office efficiency. Such exhibitions are annually held in practically every city of importance in the country over, it was stated.

In the meeting it was decided that the name of the new organization shall be the Richmond Office Appliance Association, and the following officers were duly elected: president, H. C. Grubbs; secretary, M. W. Lloyd; treasurer, M. H. Tomlinson.

The following companies were represented at the meeting: Dalton Adding Machine Company, Burroughs Adding Machine Company, American Multigraph Sales Company, Remington Typewriter Company, Underwood Typewriter Company, L. C. Smith & Bros., the Comptometer Company, Edison Dictating Machine Company, Sydnor & Hundley, Elliott-Fisher Machine Company, the Library Bureau.

Robbed of Diamond Ring.  
Miss L. S. Duke, 715 East Grace Street yesterday reported to the police that she had been robbed of a \$150 diamond ring. Detectives will investigate the report.

Convicted of Stealing Veal.  
William Gordon, colored, was yesterday sentenced to ninety days in jail, when convicted on a charge of stealing a side of veal. The veal was stolen from E. W. E. Miles and was valued at \$6.

Elevators for City Hall.  
The Otis Elevator Company was awarded a contract by the Administration Board yesterday for the installation of an electric elevator in the City Hall at its bid of \$2,700.

Pined for Assault.  
Ernest Johnson, colored, was yesterday fined \$25 and costs in the Police Court on a charge of assaulting and wounding Annie Crump with a lamp.



## Join Our 1915

## Christmas Thrift Club

### Open for Membership, December 28th

This Club is Arranged to Make It EASY FOR YOU TO SAVE a Part of Your Income or Salary Each Week: There Are Four Classes, as Follows:

Deposits of \$2 weekly. Members receive at the end of 50 weeks \$100 plus interest  
Deposits of \$1 weekly. Members receive at the end of 50 weeks \$50 plus interest  
Deposits of 50c weekly. Members receive at the end of 50 weeks \$25 plus interest  
Deposits of 25c weekly. Members receive at end of 50 weeks \$12.50 plus interest

YOU should make a point of putting away a certain amount each week, and at the end of fifty weeks you will have accumulated an amount which will enable you to accomplish some definite object, such as buying Christmas presents or meeting other obligations.

Make a small deposit every week, and when the club matures, next December, you will be surprised at the snug little sum you will have accumulated—made larger by interest. Plans to suit every size purse are offered.

JOIN AND GET YOUR FRIENDS TO JOIN.

## THE AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK

OF RICHMOND, VIRGINIA.

Capital and Surplus.....\$1,600,000.00  
Resources.....\$9,500,000.00  
SECURITY AND SERVICE.

### Men With Long Arms

who have had trouble getting fitted in Suits, Overcoats or Shirts, need not worry any more. We have an ample stock of each in the season's most desirable styles.

### Gans-Rady Company

## SPECIALTY SHOPS

This is the Age of Specialization  
"Do One Thing Well" is the Secret of Success

### Domestic Science Classes

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION  
SHORT-TERM COURSE.  
Christmas Candles and Cakes.

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Form letters, addressing, mailing. Mail orders given prompt attention. 605 Virginia Railway and Power Building. Phone Randolph 224. HENRY L. MILLER, Prop.

### YOUNG'S ART SHOP

HAND CARVED & HAND MODELLED FRAMES-MEZZOTINTS ETCHINGS- PHOTOGRAVURES

### The Health Shoe

George E. Shuman  
Sells them in all latest styles at 631 East Broad Street. Phone Monroe 3177.

### Edison Mazda Lamps

Phone Madison 732.  
MORRIS HUNTER  
113 North Eighth Street.

### THE ROYAL HAIR GOODS

Face and scalp Massaging  
Moved to 221 E. Broad.

### Keen Edge Co.

117 N. Eighth St., Richmond, Va.

### WATCHES

Watch Repairing  
JAHNKE  
WATCHMAKER, JEWELER, OPTICIAN-612 E. MAIN ST. RICHMOND, VA.

### BAPTIST & KERSE

221 East Broad Street.  
Watchmakers and Jewelers.  
Phone Randolph 556.  
Watches and Jewelry Repaired.

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Calendars, Pocket Books and Advertising Novelties, AT MODERATE PRICES.  
Trevett, Christian & Co., PRINTERS  
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### Shirts and Underwear Made to Your Measure

CREERY SHIRT CO., Inc.  
713 East Main Street.

### DON'T BE CARELESS

But if, with all your caution, you meet with a mishap and your wheel shares a bump, perhaps break, bring it here straightway and we'll decide your "bump" while others look out for you.  
A. P. GENTRY,  
508 W. Broad Street.

### LADIES' HATS RESHAPED

Velvet, Plush, Felt and Velours. Also Men's Hats cleaned and blocked. Mail orders filled promptly.

### Verra Hat Works

211 North First Street.

### YOU NEED A WINTER SUIT

We will make it for you. Fancy Suits our specialty. Correct style, fine fabrics, satisfaction guaranteed. Our prices make "Suit-buying" an easy matter. See us to-day.  
J. KATZ.  
Ladies' Tailor, Commercial Building.

### BEFORE SELECTING YOUR FALL SUIT

See the New Styles and Fabrics of  
BUDMAN, The Ladies' Tailor,  
Formerly Cutter and Manager for  
Prices reasonable, perfect fit and workmanship guaranteed.  
116 West Grace Street.

### Let us clean and press your suit.

All work guaranteed. Ladies' work our specialty.  
Bernice Cleaning and Pressing Company  
J. L. DUGGAN, MANAGER.  
Phone Ran. 2975. 304 N. Sixth St.

### Watch and Jewelry Repairing a Specialty

TOBIEN'S  
408 East Broad Street

### HOTEL RUEGER

The place to have your annual banquet. Accommodations for 10 to 75 people. Winter Garden. Orange Room. Private Dining Rooms. Music and Cabaret every evening. Grill Room. 5-12 P. M. Special concert every Sunday evening 8-9 P. M. Garvey's Orchestra. Harry Meyers, cabaret entertainer.

### A HOUSEHOLD NECESSITY

Disinfectant.  
Demand it from your druggist. Made right in Richmond.  
RICHMOND GERMICIDE CO.

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### For the Mid-Winter Season

We Have the Latest Importations. IN MILLINERY  
Call by and See Our Exclusive Showing.  
Miss M. M. Tyler  
212 North First Street.

### Alert Heaters

RYAN SMITH  
MASONIC TEMPLE

### WHY COUGH?

When you can be effectively relieved  
Rexall  
COUGH SYRUP  
One of the safest and best remedies on the market.  
Three (3) sizes,  
25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle

### Montague Mfg. Co.

LUMBER AND MILLWORK.  
Office, Yards and Factory:  
Broad Street and Belt Line,  
RICHMOND, VA.

### THE MILLER DRUG CO. INC.

THE REXALL STORES  
634 MAIN ST. 102 E. BROAD ST. 2409 E. BROAD ST.  
In business for your health

### J.B. Mosby & Co.

Christmas merchandise on sale throughout the house. Special prices.

### THE SAVINGS BANK OF RICHMOND

1117 E. MAIN ST.  
Constant application to business, uniform courtesy and liberal treatment has built up the Savings Bank. Join the army of the successful.  
FEDERAL-RESERVE-SYSTEM  
POSTAL SAVINGS-DEPOSITORY

## STATE BOARD OF CHARITIES SUBMITS ANNUAL REPORT

Study of Causes of Feeble-Mindedness and Its Relations to Pauperism and Crime Being Made.

The sixth annual report of the State Board of Charities and Corrections for the year ended September 30, was submitted to Governor Stuart yesterday. It is signed by Rev. S. C. Hatcher, D. D., president of the board. The past year has been the busiest in the board's history. There have been committed to the various institutions over which the board has supervision by courts during the year 173 children. Of these 131 were placed in good homes; four were sent to institutions for feeble-minded children; twenty-seven went to reformatories, and five to the House of Good Shepherd, Baltimore.

The last General Assembly directed the State Board of Charities and Corrections to continue the investigations into the question of the weak-minded in the State, and to report to the General Assembly of 1916 a comprehensive, practical scheme for the training, the segregation and the promotion of the procreation of mental defectives.

"A comprehensive study is being made by experts," Dr. Hatcher says, "of the relation of feeble-mindedness to crime, juvenile delinquency, pauperism, insanity, epilepsy, to economic efficiency and to intellectual development."

The reports from the 108 almshouses and 600 overseers of the poor, Dr. Hatcher says, shows that 5,125 persons were supported during the year.

There are forty-five institutions in Virginia for feeble-minded and neglected children. The Juvenile Court system is recommended, and its extension is advocated.

Japanese Sale.  
A Japanese Christmas sale will be held every afternoon and evening this week at 2511 East Broad Street, under the auspices of the Young People's Home Missionary Society of Union Station Methodist Church.

Sixty Days for Chicken Stealing.  
M. C. Martin, M. Mahoney and R. Coleman, arrested as suspicious chums, were yesterday convicted of stealing four fowls from G. S. Pugh, and were each sentenced to sixty days in jail by Justice Crutchfield.

## CONVICTS TO GRADE SITE FOR LIME PLANT

Thirty to More Prisoners Will Be Sent Today to New State Industry.

A gang of thirty or more convicts will be sent from the State Penitentiary to the site of the State Lime-grinding Plant at Staunton to-day to begin the work of grading the grounds and the work of grading the grounds and the work of grading the grounds.

## WANTS TO RENT BUILDING

Post-Office Needs Room in Which to Handle Parcels Post.

Postmaster Ray T. Thornton has asked the department for an appropriation with which to rent a building in which the parcels post business may be carried on during the holiday season. The post-office building is too crowded now with its ordinary service to care properly for the increase in parcels post, and additional quarters are needed. The weight permissible in the parcels first and second zones is fifty pounds, and there may be thousands of parcels weighing fifty pounds each which will be sent through the Richmond post-office.

No definite action, it was stated, has yet been taken in regard to renting the building at the corner of Eighth and Main Streets.

Requisition Honored.  
Clifton Brown, now in jail at Portsmouth, is wanted in Durham, N. C., on the charge of "unlawfully disposing of mortgaged property." A requisition asking for the surrender of the prisoner was received at the office of Governor Stuart yesterday. Rendition papers were issued, and an officer from Durham will go to Portsmouth for Brown.